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Reimagine IT – Advancing Innovation & Technology in Illinois

Governor Pritzker provided opening remarks at this week's *Reimagine IT* event to recognize April 22 as Innovation and Technology Day in Illinois. The Governor joined DoIT's Secretary Ron Guerrier at the collaborative event hosted by mHUB, Chicago's first innovation center with an emphasis on development and manufacturing. The half-day session consisted of panel discussions that focused

on advancing innovation in Illinois, using broadband to expand digital equity and strategies to create more STEM opportunities. Over 100 attendees joined the event, setting the tone for uniting the public, private, non-profit and educational sectors to improve IT in Illinois. For more information, link to the Press Release.

PPM Tool Nearing Roll-Out

The Enterprise Portfolio Management Office (EPMO) is preparing for a roll-out of the new Project and Portfolio Management (PPM) tool. The EPMO conducted three customer training sessions this week, while administering User Acceptance testing (UAT) training, as well as PPM Administrator training in anticipation of our roll-out. Following a successful pilot with the Department of Revenue and DoIT, there will be a phased migration to production enterprisewide. If you were unable to attend one of the live training sessions, or desire further information, please contact Project Manager, Andy Klein at 217.782.9749 or andrew.klein@illinois.gov.

Agency Series: DoIT Employee Portal – Window to the Agency

The <u>DolT Employee Portal</u> can be your window to the agency. This is where employees are kept up to date on the latest announcements from leadership, logistical specifics and changes to mail and messenger services, facility news, travel policies, internal mandatory trainings, and enrollment deadlines. Located on the Portal Home page, "<u>DolT Employee Announcements</u>" should be your first stop. The **Central Repository** contains approved policies, processes, procedures, standards, and other resources, for the operation of and delivery of services. The **Communications** Tab provides DolT branding and guidelines, templates and logos. **Employee Services** offers resources from benefits and training to recognition and retirement. **Workplace Safety** is where you will find the emergency action plans for the four primary DolT physical locations, as well as useful sites offered by the federal government and Red Cross.

DoIT FYIs and Reminders

April 22nd is recognized as Earth Day! The first Earth Day was established as long ago as 1970 by a nationwide day of environmental education and activism and commemorated by President Nixon and the First Lady who planted a tree on the White House Lawn. The US EPA was established later that same year. Link to the state's <u>I-Cycle Program</u> led by CMS for further information about how you can observe earth-friendly practices in the workplace.

